

H.R. 2115. To amend title 49, United States Code, to reauthorize programs for the Federal Aviation Administration, and for other purposes.

H.R. 2417. To authorize appropriations for fiscal year 2004 for intelligence and intelligence-related activities of the United States Government, the Community Management Account, and the Central Intelligence Agency Retirement and Disability System, and for other purposes.

Jeff Trandahl, Clerk of the House reports that on December 3, 2003, he presented to the President of the United States, for his approval, the following bills.

H.J. Res. 80. Appointing the day for the convening of the second session of the One Hundred Eighth Congress.

H.R. 1437. To improve the United States Code.

H.R. 1813. To amend the Torture Victims Relief Act of 1998 to authorize appropriations to provide assistance for domestic and foreign centers and programs for the treatment of victims of torture, and for other purposes.

H.R. 2622. To amend the Fair Credit Reporting Act, to prevent identity theft, improve resolution of consumer disputes, improve the accuracy of consumer records, make improvements in the use of, and consumer access to, credit information, and for other purposes.

H.R. 3287. To award congressional gold medals posthumously on behalf of Reverend Joseph A. DeLaine, Harry and Eliza Briggs, and Levi Pearson in recognition of their contributions to the Nation as pioneers in the effort to desegregate public schools that led directly to the landmark desegregation case of *Brown et al. v. the Board of Education of Topeka et al.*

H.R. 3348. To reauthorize the ban on undetectable firearms.

Jeff Trandahl, Clerk of the House reports that on December 5, 2003, he presented to the President of the United States, for his approval, the following bills.

H.J. Res. 63. A joint resolution to approve the Compact of Free Association, as amended, between the Government of the United States of America and the Government of the Federated States of Micronesia, and the Compact of Free Association, as amended, between the Government of the United States of America and the Government of the Republic of the Marshall Islands, and to appropriate funds to carry out the amended Compacts."

H.R. 2297. To amend title 38, United States Code, to improve benefits under laws administered by the Secretary of Veterans Affairs, and for other purposes.

3491. To establish within the Smithsonian Institution the National Museum of African American History and Culture, and for other purposes.

SINE DIE ADJOURNMENT

The SPEAKER pro tempore (Mr. RENZI). Pursuant to House Concurrent Resolution 339 and at the designation of the majority leader, without objection, the House stands adjourned sine die.

There was no objection.

Thereupon, (at 9 o'clock and 40 minutes p.m.) pursuant to House Concurrent Resolution 339, the House adjourned.

EXECUTIVE COMMUNICATIONS, ETC.

Under clause 8 of rule XII, executive communications were taken from the Speaker's table and referred as follows:

5718. A letter from the Director, Regulatory Review Group, FSA, Department of Agriculture, transmitting the Department's final rule—Removal of Obsolete Regulations (RIN: 0560-AH04) received November 3, 2003, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Agriculture.

5719. A letter from the Regulatory Contact, Department of Agriculture, transmitting the Department's final rule—Review Inspection Requirements (RIN: 0580-AA58) received October 24, 2003, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Agriculture.

5720. A letter from the Director, Regulatory Review Group, Commodity Credit Corporation, Department of Agriculture, transmitting the Department's final rule—Removal of Obsolete Regulations (RIN: 0560-AH04) received November 6, 2003, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Agriculture.

5721. A letter from the Director, Regulatory Review Group, FSA, Department of Agriculture, transmitting the Department's final rule—Removal of Obsolete Regulations (RIN: 0560-AH04) received October 24, 2003, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Agriculture.

5722. A letter from the Staff Director, Office of Regulatory and Management Services, Forest Service, Department of Agriculture, transmitting the Department's final rule—National Forest System Land and Resource Management Planning; Extension of Compliance Deadline for Site-Specific Projects (RIN: 0596-AC02) received October 10, 2003, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Agriculture.

5723. A letter from the Congressional Review Coordinator, APHIS, Department of Agriculture, transmitting the Department's final rule—Tuberculosis in Cattle and Bison; State Designations; California [Docket No. 03-005-2] received December 1, 2003, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Agriculture.

5724. A letter from the Congressional Review Coordinator, APHIS, Department of Agriculture, transmitting the Department's final rule—Tuberculosis in Cattle and Bison; State Designations; New Mexico [Docket No. 03-044-2] received December 1, 2003, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Agriculture.

5725. A letter from the Secretary, Department of Agriculture, transmitting the Department's draft bill to authorize the Secretary of Agriculture to provide financial assistance to the Republic of the Marshall Islands, the Federated States of Micronesia, and the Republic of Palau under the Cooperative Forestry Assistance Act of 1978; to the Committee on Agriculture.

5726. A letter from the Architect of the Capitol, transmitting a report of all expenditures during the period October 1, 2002 through March 31, 2003, from the moneys appropriated to the Architect of the Capitol, pursuant to 40 U.S.C. 162b; to the Committee on Appropriations.

5727. A letter from the Chairman, Defense Nuclear Facilities Safety Board, transmitting the Board's Report to Congress on the Plutonium Storage at the Department of Energy's Savannah River Site, pursuant to Public Law 107—314, section 3183; to the Committee on Armed Services.

5728. A letter from the Under Secretary, Department of Defense, transmitting a letter on the approved retirement of Lieutenant

General Robert B. Flowers, United States Army, and his advancement to the grade of lieutenant general on the retired list; to the Committee on Armed Services.

5729. A letter from the Director, Defense Procurement and Acquisition Policy, Department of Defense, transmitting the Department's final rule—Defense Federal Acquisition Regulation Supplement; Competitiveness Demonstration Codes Update [DFARS Case 2003-D003] received November 4, 2003, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Armed Services.

5730. A letter from the Acting Under Secretary, Department of Defense, transmitting a report entitled "Long-Term Strategy to Reduce Corrosion and the Effects of Corrosion on the Military Equipment and Infrastructure of the Department of Defense," pursuant to 10 U.S.C. 2228; to the Committee on Armed Services.

5731. A letter from the Acting Director, Defense Procurement and Acquisition Policy, Department of Defense, transmitting the Department's final rule—Defense Federal Acquisition Regulation Supplement; Central Contractor Registration [DFARS Case 2003-D040] received November 17, 2003, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Armed Services.

5732. A letter from the Acting Director, Defense Procurement and Acquisition Policy, Department of Defense, transmitting the Department's final rule—Defense Federal Acquisition Regulation Supplement; DoD Activity Address Codes in Contract Numbers [DFARS Case 2003-D005] received November 17, 2003, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Armed Services.

5733. A letter from the Acting Director, Defense Procurement and Acquisition Policy, Department of Defense, transmitting the Department's final rule—Defense Federal Acquisition Regulation Supplement; Competition Requirements for Purchases from a Required Source [DFARS Case 2002-D003] received November 17, 2003, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Armed Services.

5734. A letter from the Acting Director, Defense Procurement and Acquisition Policy, Department of Defense, transmitting the Department's final rule—Defense Federal Acquisition Regulation Supplement; Provisional Award Fee Payments [DFARS Case 2001-D013] received November 17, 2003, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Armed Services.

5735. A letter from the Register Liaison Officer, Department of Defense, transmitting the Department's final rule—TRICARE; Changes Included in the National Defense Authorization Act for Fiscal Year 2003 (NDAA-03) (RIN: 0720-AA85) received December 1, 2003, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Armed Services.

5736. A letter from the Assistant Chief Counsel, Department of Transportation, transmitting the Department's final rule—Electronic Options for Transmitting Certain Information Collection Responses to MARAD [Docket Number: MARAD-2003-16238] (RIN: 2133-AB56) received October 30, 2003, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Armed Services.

5737. A letter from the Senior Paralegal (Regulations), Office of Thrift Supervision, Department of the Treasury, transmitting the Department's final rule—Savings Associations—Transactions With Affiliates [No. 2003-50] (RIN: 1550-AB55) received November 10, 2003, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Financial Services.

5738. A letter from the Acting General Counsel, FEMA, Department of Homeland Security, transmitting the Department's final rule—National Flood Insurance Program (NFIP); Inspection of Insured Structures by Communities (RIN: 1660-AA14) received November 4, 2003, pursuant to 5 U.S.C.

801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Financial Services.

5739. A letter from the Acting General Counsel, FEMA, Department of Homeland Security, transmitting the Department's final rule—Final Flood Elevation Determinations—received November 4, 2003, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Financial Services.

5740. A letter from the Acting General Counsel, FEMA, Department of Homeland Security, transmitting the Department's final rule—Final Flood Elevation Determinations—received December 1, 2003, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Financial Services.

5741. A letter from the Acting General Counsel, FEMA, Department of Homeland Security, transmitting the Department's final rule—Suspension of Community Eligibility [Docket No. FEMA-7819] received December 1, 2003, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Financial Services.

5742. A letter from the Acting General Counsel, FEMA, Department of Homeland Security, transmitting the Department's final rule—Changes in Flood Elevation Determination [Docket No. FEMA-P-7628] received December 1, 2003, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Financial Services.

5743. A letter from the Acting General Counsel, FEMA, Department of Homeland Security, transmitting the Department's final rule—Changes in Flood Elevation Determinations—received December 1, 2003, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Financial Services.

5744. A letter from the Acting General Counsel, FEMA, Department of Homeland Security, transmitting the Department's final rule—Final Flood Elevation Determinations—received December 1, 2003, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Financial Services.

5745. A letter from the Acting General Counsel/FEMA, Department of Homeland Security, transmitting the Department's final rule—Final Flood Elevation Determinations—received December 8, 2003, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Financial Services.

5746. A letter from the Acting General Counsel/FEMA, Department of Homeland Security, transmitting the Department's final rule—Final Flood Elevation Determinations—received December 8, 2003, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Financial Services.

5747. A letter from the Acting General Counsel, FEMA, Department of Homeland Security, transmitting the Department's final rule—Changes in Flood Elevation Determinations [Docket No. FEMA-B-7440] received December 8, 2003, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Financial Services.

5748. A letter from the Counsel for Legislation and Regulations, Department of Housing and Urban Development, transmitting the Department's final rule—FHA TOTAL Mortgage Scorecard [Docket No. FR-4835-I-01] (RIN: 2502-A100) received December 1, 2003, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Financial Services.

5749. A letter from the Associate General Counsel for Legislation and Regulations, Department of Housing and Urban Development, transmitting the Department's final rule—Housing Assistance for Native Hawaiians; Native Hawaiian Housing Block Grants Program and Loan Guarantees for Native Hawaiian Housing Program; Final Rule [Docket No. FR-4668-F-03] (RIN: 2577-AC27) received December 8, 2003, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Financial Services.

5750. A letter from the Associate General Counsel for Legislation and Regulations, Department of Housing and Urban Development, transmitting the Department's final rule—Mixed-Finance Development for Supportive Housing for the Elderly or Persons With Disabilities and Other Changes to 24 CFR Part 891 [Docket No. FR-4725-I-01] (RIN: 2502-AH83) received December 8, 2003, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Financial Services.

5751. A letter from the Deputy Secretary, Securities & Exchange Commission, transmitting the Commission's final rule—Purchases of Certain Equity Securities by the Issuer and Others [Release Nos. 33-8335; 34-48766; IC-26252; File No. S7-50-02] (RIN: 3235-AH37) received November 12, 2003, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Financial Services.

5752. A letter from the Assistant Secretary, Securities & Exchange Commission, transmitting the Commission's final rule—Disclosure regarding nominating committee functions and communications between security holders and boards of directors [Release Nos. 33-8340; 34-48825; IC-26262; File No. S7-14-03] (RIN: 3235-A190) received November 24, 2003, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Financial Services.

5753. A letter from the Assistant General Counsel for Regulatory Services, Department of Education, transmitting the Department's final rule—Governmentwide Requirements for Drug-Free Workplace (Financial Assistance); Governmentwide Debarment and Suspension (Nonprocurement); Student Assistance General Provisions; and Federal Family Education Loan Program (RIN: 1890-AA07) received December 5, 2003, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Education and the Workforce.

5754. A letter from the Secretary, Department of Education, transmitting the Department's final rule—Governmentwide Requirements for Drug-Free Workplace (Financial Assistance), Governmentwide Debarment and Suspension (Nonprocurement), Student Assistance General Provisions, and Federal Family Education Loan (FFEL) Program (RIN: 1890-AA07) received December 8, 2003, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Education and the Workforce.

5755. A letter from the Division of Acquisition Management Services, Department of Labor, transmitting the Department's final rule—Governmentwide Debarment and Suspension (Nonprocurement) and Governmentwide Requirements for Drug-Free Workplace (Grants) (RIN: 1291-AA33) received December 4, 2003, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Education and the Workforce.

5756. A letter from the Director, Corporate Policy and Research Dept., Pension Benefit Guaranty Corporation, transmitting the Corporation's final rule—Benefits Payable in Terminated Single-Employer Plans; Allocation of Assets in a Single-Employer Plans; Interest Assumptions for Valuing and Paying Benefits—received December 5, 2003, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Education and the Workforce.

5757. A letter from the Director, Office of Acquisition Management, Department of Commerce, transmitting the Department's final rule—Governmentwide Debarment and Suspension (Nonprocurement) and Requirements for Drug-Free Workplace (grants) (RIN: 0625-AA16) received December 1, 2003, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Energy and Commerce.

5758. A letter from the Director, Office of Civilian Radioactive Waste Management, Department of Energy, transmitting the nineteenth Annual Report on the activities and expenditures of the Office of Civilian Radioactive Waste Management, pursuant to 31

U.S.C. 3512(c)(3); to the Committee on Energy and Commerce.

5759. A letter from the Regulations Coordinator, Department of Health and Human Services, transmitting the Department's final rule—Governmentwide Debarment and Suspension (Nonprocurement) and Governmentwide Requirements for Drug-Free Workplace (Grants) (RIN: 0991-AB12) received November 25, 2003, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Energy and Commerce.

5760. A letter from the Director, Regulations Policy and Management Sta., Department of Health and Human Services, transmitting the Department's final rule—Food Additives Permitted in Feed and Drinking Water of Animals; Formaldehyde [Docket No. 1998-F-0522] received December 1, 2003, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Energy and Commerce.

5761. A letter from the Director, Regulations and Management Staff, FDA, Department of Health and Human Services, transmitting the Department's final rule—Public Information Regulations; Correction [Docket No. 1999N-2637] received December 5, 2003, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Energy and Commerce.

5762. A letter from the Secretary, Department of Health and Human Services, transmitting the first report on Theft, Loss, or Release of Select Agents and Toxins, as required by the Public Health Security and Bioterrorism Preparedness and Response Act of 2002 (Pub. L. 107-188); to the Committee on Energy and Commerce.

5763. A letter from the Attorney Advisor, National Highway Traffic Safety Administration, Department of Transportation, transmitting the Department's final rule—Federal Motor Vehicle Safety Standards; Tire Pressure Monitoring Systems; Controls and Displays [Docket No. NHTSA 2003-16524] (RIN: 2127-AJ22) received November 25, 2003, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Energy and Commerce.

5764. A letter from the Attorney Advisor, National Highway Traffic Safety Administration, Department of Transportation, transmitting the Department's final rule—Federal Motor Vehicle Safety Standards; Child Restraint Systems [Docket No. NHTSA-2002-12065] (RIN: 2127-A188) received November 25, 2003, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Energy and Commerce.

5765. A letter from the Attorney-Advisor, NHTSA, Department of Transportation, transmitting the Department's final rule—Federal Motor Vehicle Safety Standards; Fuel Systems Integrity [Docket No. NHTSA-03-16525] (RIN: 2127-AF36) received December 4, 2003, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Energy and Commerce.

5766. A letter from the Deputy Associate Administrator, Environmental Protection Agency, transmitting the Agency's final rule—Approval and Promulgation of Air Quality Implementation Plans; Delaware; Revisions to Delaware's Motor Vehicle Emissions Inspection Program and Low Enhanced Inspection and Maintenance Program [DE059-1038a; FRL-7590-1] received November 25, 2003, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Energy and Commerce.

5767. A letter from the Deputy Associate Administrator, Environmental Protection Agency, transmitting the Agency's final rule—Approval and Promulgation of Air Quality Implementation Plans; Nebraska Update to Materials Incorporated by Reference [NE-193-1193; FRL-7592-1] received November 25, 2003, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Energy and Commerce.

5768. A letter from the Deputy Associate Administrator, Environmental Protection Agency, transmitting the Agency's final

rule—Approval and Promulgation of State Implementation Plans; State of Missouri [MO-198-1198a; FRL-7591-4] received November 25, 2003, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Energy and Commerce.

5769. A letter from the Deputy Associate Administrator, Environmental Protection Agency, transmitting the Agency's final rule—Clean Air Act Approval of Revision to Operating Permits Program in Ohio [OH 157-2 FRL-7588-9] received November 25, 2003, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Energy and Commerce.

5770. A letter from the Deputy Associate Administrator, Environmental Protection Agency, transmitting the Agency's final rule—Approval and Promulgation of Implementation Plans; State of Nevada; Designation of Areas for Air Quality Planning Purposes; Lake Tahoe Nevada Area [NV 050-0073A; FRL-7595-3] received December 8, 2003, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Energy and Commerce.

5771. A letter from the Deputy Associate Administrator, Environmental Protection Agency, transmitting the Agency's final rule—Interim Final Determination to Stay Sanctions, Ventura County Air Pollution Control District [CA 291-0424; FRL-7590-6] received December 8, 2003, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Energy and Commerce.

5772. A letter from the Deputy Associate Administrator, Environmental Protection Agency, transmitting the Agency's final rule—National Emission Standard for Benzene Waste Operations [OAR-2003-0147; FRL-7594-3] (RIN: 2060-AJ87) received December 8, 2003, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Energy and Commerce.

5773. A letter from the Deputy Associate Administrator, Environmental Protection Agency, transmitting the Agency's final rule—National Emission Standards for Hazardous Air Pollutants for Chemical Recovery Combustion Sources at Kraft, Soda, Sulfite, and Stand-Alone Semichemical Pulp Mills [OAR-2002-0045, FRL-7594-8] (RIN: 2060-AK53) received December 8, 2003, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Energy and Commerce.

5774. A letter from the Senior Legal Advisor, Media Bureau, Federal Communications Commission, transmitting the Commission's final rule—Amendment of Section 73.202(b) FM Table of Allotments, FM Broadcast Stations. (Tallapoosa, Georgia) [MB Docket No. 03-161; RM-10708] received December 4, 2003, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Energy and Commerce.

5775. A letter from the Senior Legal Advisor, WTB, Federal Communications Commission, transmitting the Commission's final rule—Allocations and Service Rules for the 71-76 GHz, 81-86 GHz and 92-95 GHz Bands [WT Docket No. 02-146] Loec Communications Corporation Petition for Rulemaking [RM-10288] received December 4, 2003, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Energy and Commerce.

5776. A letter from the Senior Legal Advisor to the Chief, Media Bureau, Federal Communications Commission, transmitting the Commission's final rule—Amendment of Section 73.202(b), Table of Allotments, FM Broadcast Stations. (Apopka, Maitland, and Homosassa Springs, Florida) [MB Docket No. 03-24; RM-10636] received December 4, 2003, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Energy and Commerce.

5777. A letter from the Senior Legal Advisor to the Chief, Mass Media Bureau, Federal Communications Commission, transmitting the Commission's final rule—Amendment of Section 73.202(b), Table of Allotments, FM Broadcast Stations. (Mount Pleasant & Bogata, Texas) [MM Docket No. 00-54; RM-9835; RM-9907] received December 4, 2003, pur-

suant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Energy and Commerce.

5778. A letter from the Senior Legal Advisor to the Chief, Mass Media Bureau, Federal Communications Commission, transmitting the Commission's final rule—Amendment of Section 73.202(b), Table of Allotments, FM Broadcast Stations. (Wickenburg, Bagdad and Aguila, Arizona) [MM Docket No. 00-166; RM-9951; RM-10015; RM-10016] received December 4, 2003, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Energy and Commerce.

5779. A letter from the Senior Legal Advisor to the Bureau Chief, Media Bureau, Federal Communications Commission, transmitting the Commission's final rule—Amendment of Section 73.202(b) Table of Allotments, FM Broadcast Stations. (Marathon and Mertzon, Texas) [MB Docket No. 02-243; RM-10533; RM-10712] received December 4, 2003, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Energy and Commerce.

5780. A letter from the Senior Legal Advisor to the Bureau Chief, Media Bureau, Federal Communications Commission, transmitting the Commission's final rule—Amendment of Section 73.202(b) FM Table of Allotments, FM Broadcast Stations. (Encino, Texas) [MB Docket No. 02-341; RM-10594] received December 4, 2003, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Energy and Commerce.

5781. A letter from the Senior Legal Advisor to the Bureau Chief, Media Bureau, Federal Communications Commission, transmitting the Commission's final rule—Amendment of Section 73.622(b), Table of Allotments, Digital Television Broadcast Stations. (Corpus Christi, Texas) [MM Docket No. 99-277; RM-9666] received December 4, 2003, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Energy and Commerce.

5782. A letter from the Senior Legal Advisor to the Bureau Chief, Media Bureau, Federal Communications Commission, transmitting the Commission's final rule—Digital Broadcast Content Protection [MB Docket 02-230] received December 4, 2003, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Energy and Commerce.

5783. A letter from the Special Assistant to the Bureau Chief, Mass Media Bureau, Federal Communications Commission, transmitting the Commission's final rule—Amendment of Section 73.622(b), Table of Allotments, Digital Television Broadcast Stations. (Fort Walton Beach, Florida) [MM Docket No. 00-233; RM-9996] received December 4, 2003, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Energy and Commerce.

5784. A letter from the Special Assistant to the Bureau Chief, Mass Media Bureau, Federal Communications Commission, transmitting the Commission's final rule—Amendment of Section 73.202(b), Table of Allotments, FM Broadcast Stations. (Alamo Community, New Mexico) [MM Docket No. 00-158; RM-9921] received December 4, 2003, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Energy and Commerce.

5785. A letter from the Deputy Chief, Policy and Rules Division, Federal Communications Commission, transmitting the Commission's final rule—Amendment of Parts 2.25, and 87 of the Commission's Rules to Implement Decisions from World Radiocommunication Conferences Concerning Frequency Bands Between 28 MHz and 36 GHz and to Otherwise Update the Rules in this Frequency Range [ET Docket No. 02-305]; Amendment of Parts 2 and 25 of the Commission's Rules to Allocate Spectrum For Government and Non-Government Use in the Radionavigation-Satellite Service [RM-10331] received December 4, 2003, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Energy and Commerce.

5786. A letter from the Deputy Chief, Policy and Rules Division, Federal Communications Commission, transmitting the Commission's final rule—Revisions to Broadcast Auxiliary Service Rules in Part 74 and Conforming Technical Rules for Broadcast Auxiliary Service, Cable Television Relay Service and Fixed Service in Parts 74, 78 and 101 of the Commission's Rules [ET Docket No. 01-75]; Telecommunications Industry Association, Petition for Rule Making Regarding Digital Modulation for the Television Broadcast Auxiliary Service [RM-9418]; Alliance of Motion Picture and Television Producers, Petition for Rule Making Regarding Low-Power Video Assist Devices in Portions of the UHF and VHF Television Bands [RM-9856] Received December 4, 2003, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. to the Committee on Energy and Commerce.

5787. A letter from the Deputy Chief, Policy and Rules Division, Federal Communications Commission, transmitting the Commission's final rule—Amendment of Section 2.106 of the Commission's Rules to Allocate Spectrum at 2 GHz for use by the Mobile-Satellite Service [ET Docket No. 95-18]; Amendment of Part 2 of the Commission's Rules to Allocate Spectrum Below 3 GHz for Mobile and Fixed Services to Support the Introduction of New Advanced Wireless Services, including Third Generation Wireless Systems [ET Docket No. 00-258]; Flexibility for Delivery of Communications by Mobile Satellite Service Providers in the 2 GHz Band, the L-Band, and the 1.6/2.4 GHz Bands [IB Docket No. 01-185] Received December 4, 2003, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. to the Committee on Energy and Commerce.

5788. A letter from the Deputy Chief, Policy and Rules Division, OET, Federal Communications Commission, transmitting the Commission's final rule—Amendment of Part 5 of the Commission's Rules to Require Electronic Filing of Applications for Experimental Radio Licenses and Authorizations—received December 4, 2003, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Energy and Commerce.

5789. A letter from the Deputy Chief, WCB/TAPD, Federal Communications Commission, transmitting the Commission's final rule—Rural Health Care Support Mechanism [WC Docket No. 02-60] received December 4, 2003, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Energy and Commerce.

5790. A letter from the Legal Advisor/Chief, Wireless Telecom. Bur., Federal Communications Commission, transmitting the Commission's "Major" final rule—Promoting Efficient Use of Spectrum Through Elimination of Barriers to the Development of Secondary Markets [WT Docket No. 00-230] received December 4, 2003, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Energy and Commerce.

5791. A letter from the General Counsel, Federal Energy Regulatory Commission, transmitting the Commission's final rule—Investigation of Terms and Conditions of Public Utility Market-Based Rate Authorizations [Docket Nos. EL101-118-000 and EL101-118-001] received December 1, 2003, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Energy and Commerce.

5792. A letter from the General Counsel, Federal Energy Regulatory Commission, transmitting the Commission's final rule—Amendments to Blanket Sales Certificates [Docket No. RM03-10-000; Order No. 664] received December 1, 2003, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Energy and Commerce.

5793. A letter from the Secretary of the Commission, Federal Trade Commission, transmitting the Commission's final rule—Rule Concerning Disclosures Regarding Energy Consumption and Water Use of Certain

Home Appliances and Other Products Required Under the Energy Policy and Conservation Act ("Appliance Labeling Rule")—received November 17, 2003, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Energy and Commerce.

5794. A letter from the Secretary, Department of the Treasury, transmitting as required by Executive Order 13313 of July 31, 2003, a six-month periodic report on the national emergency with respect to the Development Fund for Iraq that was declared in Executive Order 13303 of May 22, 2003, as expanded in Executive Order 13315 of August 28, 2003, pursuant to 50 U.S.C. 1641(c) 50 U.S.C. 1703(c); to the Committee on International Relations.

5795. A letter from the Secretary, Department of the Treasury, transmitting as required by Executive Order 13313 of July 31, 2003 a six-month periodic report on the national emergency with respect to Burma declared by Executive Order 13047 of May 20, 1997, pursuant to 50 U.S.C. 1641(c) 50 U.S.C. 1703(c); to the Committee on International Relations.

5796. A letter from the Secretary, Department of Commerce, transmitting a six-month report prepared by the Department of Commerce's Bureau of Industry and Security on the national emergency declared by Executive Order 13222 of August 17, 2001, to deal with the threat to the national security, foreign policy, and economy of the United States caused by the lapse of the Export Administration Act of 1979, pursuant to 50 U.S.C. 1641(c) 50 U.S.C. 1703(c); to the Committee on International Relations.

5797. A letter from the Director, International Cooperation, Department of Defense, transmitting a copy of Transmittal No. 22-03 which informs of an intent to sign a Project Agreement between the United States and France concerning the Spartan Scout, pursuant to 22 U.S.C. 2767(f); to the Committee on International Relations.

5798. A letter from the Director, International Cooperation, Department of Defense, transmitting a copy of Transmittal 24-03 informing of an intent to sign the System Development and Demonstration Supplement to the Common Missile Memorandum of Understanding between the United States and the United Kingdom, pursuant to 22 U.S.C. 2767(f); to the Committee on International Relations.

5799. A letter from the Assistant Secretary for Legislative Affairs, Department of State, transmitting certification of a proposed license for the export of major defense equipment and defense articles to the Republic of Korea and Germany (Transmittal No. DTC 110-03), pursuant to 22 U.S.C. 2776(c); to the Committee on International Relations.

5800. A letter from the Assistant Secretary for Legislative Affairs, Department of State, transmitting certification of a proposed license for the export of major defense equipment and defense articles to Turkey (Transmittal No. DTC 109-03), pursuant to 22 U.S.C. 2776(c); to the Committee on International Relations.

5801. A letter from the Assistant Secretary for Legislative Affairs, Department of State, transmitting certification of a proposed license for the export of major defense equipment and defense articles to the Pacific Ocean/International Waters (Transmittal No. DDTC 125-03), pursuant to 22 U.S.C. 2776(c); to the Committee on International Relations.

5802. A letter from the Assistant Secretary for Legislative Affairs, Department of State, transmitting certification of a proposed license for the export of major defense equipment and defense articles to the Republic of Korea, United Kingdom, and the Netherlands (Transmittal No. DDTC 122-03), pursuant to

22 U.S.C. 2776(c); to the Committee on International Relations.

5803. A letter from the Assistant Secretary for Legislative Affairs, Department of State, transmitting certification of a proposed license for the export of major defense equipment and defense articles to the United Arab Emirates (Transmittal No. DDTC 105-03), pursuant to 22 U.S.C. 2776(c); to the Committee on International Relations.

5804. A letter from the Assistant Secretary for Legislative Affairs, Department of State, transmitting certification of a proposed license for the export of major defense equipment and defense articles to Italy and Belgium (Transmittal No. DTC 106-03), pursuant to 22 U.S.C. 2776(c); to the Committee on International Relations.

5805. A letter from the Assistant Secretary for Legislative Affairs, Department of State, transmitting certification of a proposed license for the export of major defense equipment and defense articles to Saudi Arabia (Transmittal No. DTC 123-03), pursuant to 22 U.S.C. 2776(c); to the Committee on International Relations.

5806. A letter from the Assistant Secretary for Legislative Affairs, Department of State, transmitting certification of a proposed license for the export of major defense equipment and defense articles to Canada (Transmittal No. DTC 121-03), pursuant to 22 U.S.C. 2776(c); to the Committee on International Relations.

5807. A letter from the Assistant Secretary for Legislative Affairs, Department of State, transmitting certification of a proposed license for the export of major defense equipment and defense articles to Japan (Transmittal No. DDTC 116-03), pursuant to 22 U.S.C. 2776(c); to the Committee on International Relations.

5808. A letter from the Assistant Secretary for Legislative Affairs, Department of State, transmitting certification of a proposed license for the export of major defense equipment and defense articles to various NATO nations (the United Kingdom, Germany, Spain, Turkey, and the Netherlands) (Transmittal No. DTC 124-03), pursuant to 22 U.S.C. 2776(c); to the Committee on International Relations.

5809. A letter from the Assistant Secretary for Legislative Affairs, Department of State, transmitting certification of a proposed license for the export of major defense equipment and defense articles to the United Kingdom (Transmittal No. DDTC 113-03), pursuant to 22 U.S.C. 2776(c); to the Committee on International Relations.

5810. A letter from the Assistant Secretary for Legislative Affairs, Department of State, transmitting certification of a proposed license for the export of major defense equipment and defense articles to Greece (Transmittal No. DDTC 107-03), pursuant to 22 U.S.C. 2776(c); to the Committee on International Relations.

5811. A letter from the Assistant Secretary for Legislative Affairs, Department of State, transmitting a six-month periodic report on the national emergency with respect to the proliferation of weapons of mass destruction that was declared in Executive Order 12938 of November 14, 1994, pursuant to 50 U.S.C. 1641(c); to the Committee on International Relations.

5812. A letter from the Assistant Legal Adviser for Treaty Affairs, Department of State, transmitting copies of international agreements, other than treaties, entered into by the United States, pursuant to 1 U.S.C. 112b(a); to the Committee on International Relations.

5813. A letter from the Assistant Secretary for Legislative Affairs, Department of State, transmitting Gifts by the U.S. Government to foreign individuals, pursuant to 22 U.S.C.

2694(2); to the Committee on International Relations.

5814. A letter from the Chief, Counsel (Foreign Assets Control), Department of the Treasury, transmitting the Department's final rule—Authorization for U.S. Financial Institutions to Transfer Certain Claims Against the Government of Iraq—received November 21, 2003, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on International Relations.

5815. A letter from the Assistant Secretary for Legislative Affairs, Department of State, transmitting the Department's final rule—Bureau of Political-Military Affairs; Amendment to the International Traffic in Arms Regulations: Lifting of National Union for the Total Independence of Angola Embargo and Partial Lifting of Denial Policy Against Iraq (RIN: 1400-ZA04) received October 28, 2003, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on International Relations.

5816. A letter from the Assistant Secretary for Legislative Affairs, Department of State, transmitting the Department's final rule—Amendment to the International Traffic in Arms Regulations: Mandatory Electronic Filing of Shipper's Export Declarations with U.S. Customs using the Automated Export System (AES) (RIN: 1400-AB72) received October 27, 2003, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on International Relations.

5817. A letter from the Acting Assistant Secretary for Legislative Affairs, Department of State, transmitting a memorandum of justification pursuant to Section 202 and other relevant provisions of the Afghanistan Freedom Support Act (P.L. 107-327) and Sections 506 and 652 of the Foreign Assistance Act of 1961, as amended, to support the government of Afghanistan; to the Committee on International Relations.

5818. A letter from the Assistant Secretary for Legislative Affairs, Department of State, transmitting notification of intent to obligate funds for purposes of Nonproliferation and Disarmament Fund (NDF) activities; to the Committee on International Relations.

5819. A letter from the Assistant Secretary for Legislative Affairs, Department of State, transmitting the second annual report on the Benjamin A. Gilman International Scholarship Program; to the Committee on International Relations.

5820. A letter from the Special Assistant to the President and Director, Office of Administration, Executive Office of the President, transmitting the White House personnel report for the fiscal year 2003, pursuant to 3 U.S.C. 113; to the Committee on Government Reform.

5821. A letter from the Secretary, Department of Energy, transmitting the semi-annual report on the activities of the Office of Inspector General for the period April 1, 2003 to September 30, 2003, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. app. (Insp. Gen. Act) section 5(b); to the Committee on Government Reform.

5822. A letter from the Secretary, Department of Labor, transmitting the semiannual report on the activities of the Office of Inspector General for the period April 1, 2003 to September 30, 2003, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. app. (Insp. Gen. Act) section 5(b); to the Committee on Government Reform.

5823. A letter from the Executive Secretary and Chief of Staff, Agency for International Development, transmitting a report pursuant to the Federal Vacancies Reform Act of 1998; to the Committee on Government Reform.

5824. A letter from the Chairman, Board of Governors of the Federal Reserve System, transmitting the semiannual report on the activities of the Office of Inspector General for the six-month period ending September 30, 2003, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. app. (Insp. Gen.

Act) section 5(b); to the Committee on Government Reform.

5825. A letter from the Chairman, Defense Nuclear Facilities Safety Board, transmitting the Board's Strategic Plan for FY 2003–2009, developed in accordance with the requirements of the Government Performance and Results Act (GPRA) of 1993 and OMB Circular A–11 (2003); to the Committee on Government Reform.

5826. A letter from the Director, Office of Personnel Policy, Department of the Interior, transmitting a report pursuant to the Federal Vacancies Reform Act of 1998; to the Committee on Government Reform.

5827. A letter from the Director, Office of Personnel Policy, Department of the Interior, transmitting a report pursuant to the Federal Vacancies Reform Act of 1998; to the Committee on Government Reform.

5828. A letter from the Secretary, Department of the Treasury, transmitting two Semiannual Reports which were prepared separately by Treasury's Office of Inspector General (OIG) and the Treasury Inspector General for Tax Administration (TIGTA) for the period ended September 30, 2003, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. app. (Insp. Gen. Act) section 5(b); to the Committee on Government Reform.

5829. A letter from the General Counsel, Department of the Treasury, transmitting the Department's draft bill entitled, "To amend chapter 93 of title 31, United States Code, to authorize the Secretary of the Treasury to require that collateral offered in lieu of surety bonds, be valued at market value"; to the Committee on Government Reform.

5830. A letter from the Assistant Director for Executive and Political Personnel, Department of Defense, transmitting a report pursuant to the Federal Vacancies Reform Act of 1998; to the Committee on Government Reform.

5831. A letter from the Assistant Director, Executive & Political Personnel, Department of Defense, transmitting a report pursuant to the Federal Vacancies Reform Act of 1998; to the Committee on Government Reform.

5832. A letter from the Deputy White House Liaison, Department of Education, Office of Vocational & Adult Education, transmitting a report pursuant to the Federal Vacancies Reform Act of 1998; to the Committee on Government Reform.

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5834. A letter from the White House Liaison, Department of Health and Human Services, transmitting a report pursuant to the Federal Vacancies Reform Act of 1998; to the Committee on Government Reform.

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5843. A letter from the Deputy Associate General Counsel, Regulations, Department of Homeland Security, transmitting the Department's final rule—Department of Homeland Security Acquisition Regulation [Docket Number USCG–2003–16571] (RIN: 1601–AA16) received December 1, 2003, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Government Reform.

5844. A letter from the Human Resources Specialist, Department of Labor, transmitting a report pursuant to the Federal Vacancies Reform Act of 1998; to the Committee on Government Reform.

5845. A letter from the Deputy Assistant Secretary for Administration, Department of Transportation, transmitting a copy of the inventories of commercial positions in the Department of Transportation, as required by the Federal Activities Inventory Reform Act of 1998; to the Committee on Government Reform.

5846. A letter from the Attorney Advisor, Department of Transportation, transmitting a report pursuant to the Federal Vacancies Reform Act of 1998; to the Committee on Government Reform.

5847. A letter from the Secretary, Department of Veterans Affairs, transmitting the semiannual report on activities of the Inspector General for the period April 1, 2003, through September 30, 2003, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. app. (Insp. Gen. Act) section 5(b); to the Committee on Government Reform.

5848. A letter from the Chairman, Federal Maritime Commission, transmitting the Commission's semiannual report on the activities of the Office of Inspector General for the period April 1, 2003 to September 30, 2003, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. app. (Insp. Gen. Act) section 8G(h)(2); to the Committee on Government Reform.

5849. A letter from the Executive Director, Federal Retirement Thrift Investment Board, transmitting a report in compliance with the Inspector General Act and the Federal Managers' Financial Integrity Act, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. app. (Insp. Gen. Act) section 5(b); to the Committee on Government Reform.

5850. A letter from the Administrator, General Services Administration, transmitting the semiannual report on the activities of the Office of Inspector General for the period April 1, 2003 through September 30, 2003, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. app. (Insp. Gen. Act) section 5(b); to the Committee on Government Reform.

5851. A letter from the Deputy Archivist of the United States, National Archives and Records Administration, transmitting the Administration's final rule—Government-wide Debarment and Suspension (Non-procurement) and Governmentwide Requirements for Drug-Free Workplace (Grants) (RIN: 3095–AB04) received December 1, 2003, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Government Reform.

5852. A letter from the Chairman, National Endowment for the Arts, transmitting the Semiannual Report to the Congress of the Inspector General and the Chairman's Semiannual Report on Final Actions Resulting from Audit Reports for the period of April 1, 2003 through September 30, 2003, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. app. (Insp. Gen. Act) section 5(b); to the Committee on Government Reform.

5853. A letter from the Chairman, Occupational Safety and Health Review Commission, transmitting the FY 2003 annual report on the agency's compliance with the Inspector General Act and the Federal Managers' Financial Integrity Act, pursuant to 31 U.S.C. 3512(c)(3); to the Committee on Government Reform.

5854. A letter from the Director, Office of General Counsel & Legal Policy, Office of Government Ethics, transmitting the Office's final rule—Office of Government Ethics Organization and Functions Regulation; Clarifying Amendment (RIN: 3209–AA21) received November 6, 2003, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Government Reform.

5855. A letter from the Director, Office of Personnel Management, transmitting the Office's final rule—Protests, Disputes, and Appeals (RIN: 3206–AK07) received November 17, 2003, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Government Reform.

5856. A letter from the Acting Special Counsel, Office of Special Counsel, transmitting the Office's final rule—Technical Amendments to 5 CFR Part 1800—received December 5, 2003, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Government Reform.

5857. A letter from the Chairman, Railroad Retirement Board, transmitting the semiannual report on activities of the Office of Inspector General for the period April 1, 2003, through September 30, 2003, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. app. (Insp. Gen. Act) section 5(d); to the Committee on Government Reform.

5858. A letter from the Chairman, Securities and Exchange Commission, transmitting the semiannual report on the activities of the Inspector General and the Management Response for the period ending September 30, 2003, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. app. (Insp. Gen. Act) section 8G(h)(2); to the Committee on Government Reform.

5859. A letter from the Chairman, Board of Governors, U.S. Postal Service, transmitting the semiannual report on activities of the Inspector General for the period ending September 30, 2003 and the Management Response for the same period, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. app. (Insp. Gen. Act) section 8G(h)(2); to the Committee on Government Reform.

5860. A letter from the Vice Chairman, Office of the General Counsel, Federal Election Commission, transmitting the Commission's final rule—Leadership PACs [Notice 2003–22] received November 24, 2003, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on House Administration.

5861. A letter from the Director, Office of Surface Mining, Department of the Interior, transmitting the Department's final rule—West Virginia Regulatory Program [WV–091–FOR] received November 24, 2003, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Resources.

5862. A letter from the Principal Deputy Assistant Secretary for Indian Affairs, Department of the Interior, transmitting a proposed plan under the Indian Tribal Judgment Funds Act, 25 U.S.C. 1401 et seq., as amended, for the use and distribution of the Pueblo of Isleta (Pueblo) judgment funds in Docket 98–166L; to the Committee on Resources.

5863. A letter from the Assistant Secretary, Land and Minerals Management, Department of the Interior, transmitting the Department's final rule—Oil and Gas and Sulfur Operations in the Outer Continental

Shelf-Civil Penalties (RIN: 101-AD07) received November 25, 2003, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Resources.

5864. A letter from the Director, Office of Surface Mining, Department of the Interior, transmitting the Department's final rule—North Dakota Regulatory Program [ND-044-FOR, Amendment XXXIII] received December 1, 2003, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Resources.

5865. A letter from the Director, Office of Hearing and Appeals, Department of the Interior, transmitting the Department's final rule—Special Rules Applicable to Surface Coal Mining Hearing and Appeals (RIN: 1090-AA92) received December 5, 2003, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Resources.

5866. A letter from the Director, Office of Surface Mining, Department of the Interior, transmitting the Department's final rule—West Virginia Regulatory Program [WV-095-FOR] received December 4, 2003, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Resources.

5867. A letter from the Assistant Secretary, Fish, Wildlife, & Parks, Department of the Interior, transmitting the Department's final rule—Marine Mammals; Incidental Take During Specified Activities (RIN: 1018-AH92) received December 5, 2003, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Resources.

5868. A letter from the Assistant Secretary for Fish and Wildlife and Parks, Department of the Interior, transmitting the Department's final rule—Joint Counterpart Endangered Species Act Section 7 Consultation Regulations (RIN: 1018-AJ02); National Oceanic and Atmospheric Administration [Docket No. 030506115-3298-02] (RIN: 0648-AR05) received December 5, 2003, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Resources.

5869. A letter from the Deputy Assistant Administrator for Operations, NMFS, National Oceanic and Atmospheric Administration, transmitting the Administration's final rule—NOAA Information Collection Requirements; Update and Correction [Docket No. 031016260-3260-01; I.D. 091603A] (RIN: 0648-AR71) received December 1, 2003, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Resources.

5870. A letter from the Director, Office of Sustainable Fisheries, NMFS, National Oceanic and Atmospheric Administration, transmitting the Administration's final rule—Atlantic Highly Migratory Species; Bluefin Tuna Fisheries [I.D. 111303B] received December 1, 2003, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Resources.

5871. A letter from the Acting Director, Office of Sustainable Fisheries, NMFS, National Oceanic and Atmospheric Administration, transmitting the Administration's final rule—Fisheries of the Northeastern United States; Atlantic Herring Fishery; Total Allowable Catch Harvested for Period 2 Management Area 1A [Docket No. 021101264-3016-02; I.D. 110703B] received December 1, 2003, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Resources.

5872. A letter from the Acting Director, Office of Sustainable Fisheries, NMFS, National Oceanic and Atmospheric Administration, transmitting the Administration's final rule—Fisheries off West Coast States and in the Western Pacific; Pacific Coast Groundfish; Annual Specifications and Management Measures; Trip Limit Adjustments; Corrections [Docket No. 021209300-3048-02; I.D. 111903C] received December 5, 2003, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Resources.

5873. A letter from the Fishery Biologist, Office of Protected Resources, National Oceanic and Atmospheric Administration, trans-

mitting the Administration's final rule—Endangered and Threatened Species; Final Rule Governing Take of Four Threatened Evolutionarily Significant Units of West Coast Salmonids (RIN: 0648-AP17) received December 1, 2003, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Resources.

5874. A letter from the Acting Director, Office of Sustainable Fisheries, NMFS, National Oceanic and Atmospheric Administration, transmitting the Administration's final rule—Fisheries of the Exclusive Economic Zone off Alaska; Recision and Reallocation of Pacific Cod in the Bering Sea and Aleutian Islands Management Area [Docket No. 021212307-3037-02; I.D. 111803B] received December 8, 2003, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Resources.

5875. A letter from the Director, Regulations and Forms Services, U.S. Immigration and Customs Enforcement, Department of Homeland Security, transmitting the Department's final rule—Suspending the 30-Day and Annual Interview Requirements From the Special Registration Process for Certain Nonimmigrants [ICE No. 2301-3] (RIN: 1653-AA29) received December 2, 2003, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on the Judiciary.

5876. A letter from the Rules Administrator, Federal Bureau of Prisons, Department of Justice, transmitting the Department's final rule—Occupational Education Programs [BOP-1096-F] (RIN: 1120-AA92) received December 1, 2003, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on the Judiciary.

5877. A letter from the Assistant Secretary for Legislative Affairs, Department of State, transmitting the Department's final rule—Foreign Prohibitions on Longshore Work by U.S. Nationals (RIN: 1400-AA34) received December 1, 2003, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on the Judiciary.

5878. A letter from the Assistant Secretary, Bureau of Indian Affairs, Department of the Interior, transmitting the Department's final rule—Partial Distribution of Fiscal Year 2004 Indian Reservation Roads Funds (RIN: 1076-AE50) received December 2, 2003, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure.

5879. A letter from the Program Analyst, Army Corps of Engineers, Department of Defense, transmitting the Department's final rule—United States Navy Restricted Area, Cooper River and Tributaries, Naval Weapons Station Charleston, Charleston, SC—received December 1, 2003, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure.

5880. A letter from the Program Analyst, Army Corps of Engineers, Department of Defense, transmitting the Department's final rule—United States Navy Restricted Area, Naval Air Station North Island, San Diego, CA—received December 8, 2003, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure.

5881. A letter from the Program Analyst, Army Corps of Engineers, Department of Defense, transmitting the Department's final rule—United States Navy Restricted Area, Naval Weapons Station Earle, Sandy Hook Bay, NJ—received December 8, 2003, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure.

5882. A letter from the Chief, Regulations and Administrative Law, Coast Guard, Department of Homeland Security, transmitting the Department's final rule—Drawbridge Operation Regulations; Mullica River, NJ [CGD05-03-180] (RIN: 1625-AA09) received December 1, 2003, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure.

5883. A letter from the Chief, Regulations and Administrative Law, Coast Guard, Department of Homeland Security, transmitting the Department's final rule—Drawbridge Operation Regulations; Amite River, Clio, LA. [CGD08-03-047] received December 1, 2003, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure.

5884. A letter from the Chief, Regulations and Administrative Law, Coast Guard, Department of Homeland Security, transmitting the Department's final rule—Drawbridge Operation Regulations; Buffalo Bayou, Houston, TX. [CGD08-03-046] received December 1, 2003, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure.

5885. A letter from the Chief, Regulations and Administrative Law, Coast Guard, Department of Homeland Security, transmitting the Department's final rule—Allowing Alternatives to Incandescent Lights, and Establishing Standards for New Lights, in Private Aids to Navigation [USCG-2000-7466] (RIN: 1625-AA55) received December 1, 2003, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure.

5886. A letter from the Chief, Regulations and Administrative Law, Coast Guard, Department of Homeland Security, transmitting the Department's final rule—Special Local Regulations; 2003 Boca Raton Holiday Boat Parade, Riviera Beach, FL [CGD07-03-152] (RIN: 1625-AA08) received December 8, 2003, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure.

5887. A letter from the Chief, Regulations and Administrative Law, Coast Guard, Department of Homeland Security, transmitting the Department's final rule—Security Zone: Coronado Bay Bridge, San Diego, California [COTP San Diego 03-032] (RIN: 1625-AA00) received December 8, 2003, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure.

5888. A letter from the Chief, Regulations and Administrative Law, Coast Guard, Department of Homeland Security, transmitting the Department's final rule—Regulated Navigation Area, San Carlos Bay, Florida [CGD07-03-200] (RIN: 1625-AA11) received December 8, 2003, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure.

5889. A letter from the Program Analyst, FAA, Department of Transportation, transmitting the Department's final rule—DOD Commercial Air Carrier Evaluators [Docket No. FAA-2003-15571; Amendment Nos. 119-8, 121-290, and 135-83] (RIN: 2120-A100) received November 25, 2003, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure.

5890. A letter from the Program Analyst, FAA, Department of Transportation, transmitting the Department's final rule—Digital Flight Data Recorder Requirements—Changes to Recording Specifications and Additional Exceptions; Corrections; Correction. [Docket No.: FAA-2003-15682; Amendment Nos. 121-288, 125-42; 135-84] (RIN: 2120-AH89) received November 25, 2003, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure.

5891. A letter from the Program Analyst, FAA, Department of Transportation, transmitting the Department's final rule—Digital Flight Data Recorder Requirements—Changes to Recording Specifications and Additional Exceptions; Correction [Docket No.: FAA-2003-15682; Amendment Nos. 121-288, 125-42, 135-84] (RIN: 2120-AH89) received November 25, 2003, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure.

5892. A letter from the Program Analyst, FAA, Department of Transportation, transmitting the Department's final rule—Flightdeck Security on Large Cargo Airplanes [Docket No. FAA-2003-15653; Amendment Nos. 121-287 and 129-38] (RIN: 2120-AH96) received November 25, 2003, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure.

5893. A letter from the Paralegal Specialist, FAA, Department of Transportation, transmitting the Department's final rule—Standard Instrument Approach Procedures; Miscellaneous Amendments [Docket No. 30396; Amdt. No. 3083] received November 25, 2003, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure.

5894. A letter from the Paralegal Specialist, FAA, Department of Transportation, transmitting the Department's final rule—Airworthiness Directives; Aerospace Technologies of Australia Pty. Ltd. Models N22B and N24A Airplanes [Docket No. 2003-CE-21-AD; Amendment 39-13361; AD 2003-22-13] (RIN: 2120-AA64) received November 25, 2003, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure.

5895. A letter from the Paralegal Specialist, FAA, Department of Transportation, transmitting the Department's final rule—Airworthiness Directives; Boeing Model 747-400, -400D, and -400F Series Airplanes [Docket No. 2003-NM-173-AD; Amendment 39-13364; AD 2003-23-01] (RIN: 2120-AA64) received November 25, 2003, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure.

5896. A letter from the Paralegal Specialist, FAA, Department of Transportation, transmitting the Department's final rule—Airworthiness Directives; Cessna Model 560 Airplanes [Docket No. 2003-NM-225AD; Amendment 39-13365; AD 2003-23-02] (RIN: 2120-AA64) received November 25, 2003, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure.

5897. A letter from the Paralegal Specialist, FAA, Department of Transportation, transmitting the Department's final rule—Airworthiness Directives; Rolls-Royce Deutschland Ltd. & Co KG Models Tay 650-15 and 651-54 Turbofan Engines [Docket No. 98-ANE-68-AD; Amendment 39-13362; AD 2003-22-14] (RIN: 2120-AA64) received November 25, 2003, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure.

5898. A letter from the Paralegal Specialist, FAA, Department of Transportation, transmitting the Department's final rule—Airworthiness Directives; Boeing Model 737-100, -200, and -200C Series Airplanes [Docket No. 2002-NM-150-AD; Amendment 39-13367; AD 2003-23-03] (RIN: 2120-AA64) received November 25, 2003, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure.

5899. A letter from the Paralegal Specialist, FAA, Department of Transportation, transmitting the Department's final rule—Airworthiness Directives; Boeing Model 757-200 Series Airplanes [Docket No. 2002-NM-95-AD; Amendment 39-13368; AD 2003-23-04] (RIN: 2120-AA64) received November 25, 2003, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure.

5900. A letter from the Paralegal Specialist, FAA, Department of Transportation, transmitting the Department's final rule—Airworthiness Directives; Titeflex Corporation [Docket No. 2002-NE-22-AD; Amendment 39-13369; AD 2003-23-05 AD] (RIN: 2120-AA64) received November 25, 2003, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure.

5901. A letter from the Paralegal Specialist, FAA, Department of Transportation, transmitting the Department's final rule—Airworthiness Directives; Various Boeing and McDonnell Douglas Transport Category Airplanes [Docket No. 2003-NM-91-AD; Amendment 39-13366; AD 2003-03-15 R1] (RIN: 2120-AA64) received November 25, 2003, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure.

5902. A letter from the Paralegal Specialist, FAA, Department of Transportation, transmitting the Department's final rule—Amendment of Class E Airspace; Rocky Mount, NC [Docket No. FAA-2003-15849; Airspace Docket No. 03-ASO-15] received November 25, 2003, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure.

5903. A letter from the Paralegal Specialist, FAA, Department of Transportation, transmitting the Department's final rule—Amendment of Class E Airspace; Smithfield, NC [Docket No. FAA-2003-15848; Airspace Docket No. 03-ASO-14] received November 25, 2003, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure.

5904. A letter from the Program Analyst, FAA, Department of Transportation, transmitting the Department's final rule—Regulation of Fractional Aircraft Ownership Programs and On-Demand Operations [Docket No. FAA-2001-10047; Amdt. Nos. 21-84, 61-109, 91-274, 119-7, 125-44, 135-82, 142-5] (RIN: 2120-AH06) received November 25, 2003, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure.

5905. A letter from the Program Analyst, FAA, Department of Transportation, transmitting the Department's final rule—Improved Flammability Standards for Thermal/Acoustic Insulation Materials Used in Transport Category Airplanes [Docket No. FAA-2000-7909; Amdt. Nos. 25-111, 91-275, 121-289, 125-43, 135-85] (RIN: 2120-AG91) received November 25, 2003, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure.

5906. A letter from the Program Analyst, FAA, Department of Transportation, transmitting the Department's final rule—Lower Deck Service Compartments on Transport Category Airplanes; Correction [Docket No. FAA-2002-11346; Amendment No. 25-110] (RIN: 2120-AH38) received November 25, 2003, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure.

5907. A letter from the Program Analyst, FAA, Department of Transportation, transmitting the Department's final rule—Repair Stations [Docket No. FAA-1999-5836] (RIN: 2120-AC38) received November 25, 2003, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure.

5908. A letter from the Program Analyst, FAA, Department of Transportation, transmitting the Department's final rule—Reduced Vertical Separation Minimum in Domestic United States Airspace [Docket No. FAA-2002-12261; Amendment Nos. 11-49 and 91-276] (RIN: 2120-AH68) received November 25, 2003, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure.

5909. A letter from the Program Analyst, FAA, Department of Transportation, transmitting the Department's final rule—Air Tour Operators in the State of Hawaii [Docket No. FAA-2003-14830; Special Federal Aviation Regulation (SFAR) No. 71] (RIN: 2120-AH02) received November 25, 2003, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure.

5910. A letter from the Paralegal Specialist, FAA, Department of Transportation, transmitting the Department's final rule—

Establishment of Class E Airspace; Chevak, AK [Docket No. FAA-2003-15694; Airspace Docket No. 03-AAL-12] received November 25, 2003, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure.

5911. A letter from the Paralegal Specialist, FAA, Department of Transportation, transmitting the Department's final rule—Establishment of Class E Airspace; Kotlik, AK [Docket No. FAA-2003-15091; Airspace Docket No. 03-AAL-13] received November 25, 2003, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure.

5912. A letter from the Paralegal Specialist, FAA, Department of Transportation, transmitting the Department's final rule—Establishment of Class E Airspace; Akiak, AK [Docket No. FAA-2003-15693; Airspace Docket No. 03-AAL-13] received November 25, 2003, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure.

5913. A letter from the Paralegal Specialist, FAA, Department of Transportation, transmitting the Department's final rule—Modification of Class E Airspace; Johnson, KS [Docket No. FAA-2003-16411; Airspace Docket No. 03-ACE-77] received November 25, 2003, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure.

5914. A letter from the Paralegal Specialist, FAA, Department of Transportation, transmitting the Department's final rule—Standard Instrument Approach Procedures; Miscellaneous Amendments [Docket No. 30395; Amdt. No. 3082] received November 25, 2003, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure.

5915. A letter from the Paralegal Specialist, FAA, Department of Transportation, transmitting the Department's final rule—Establishment of Class E4 Airspace; and Modification of Class E5 Airspace; Goodland, KS. [Docket No. FAA-2003-16079; Airspace Docket No. 03-ACE-71] received November 25, 2003, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure.

5916. A letter from the Paralegal Specialist, FAA, Department of Transportation, transmitting the Department's final rule—Amendment of Restricted Area R-2301E Ajo East, AZ; and R-2304, and 2305 Gila Bend, AZ [Docket No. 2002-FAA-14912; Airspace Docket No. 03-AWP-4] (RIN: 2120-AA66) received November 25, 2003, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure.

5917. A letter from the Paralegal Specialist, FAA, Department of Transportation, transmitting the Department's final rule—Establishment of Class E Airspace; Kivalina, AK [Docket No. FAA-2003-15695; Airspace Docket No. 03-AAL-17] received November 25, 2003, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure.

5918. A letter from the Senior Procurement Executive, Department of Transportation, transmitting the Department's final rule—Governmentwide Debarment and Suspension (Nonprocurement) and Governmentwide Requirements for Drug-Free Workplace (Grants); Department of Transportation Implementation (RIN: 2105-AD07) received November 25, 2003, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure.

5919. A letter from the Attorney Advisor, Federal Highway Administration, Department of Transportation, transmitting the Department's final rule—Interstate Highway System (RIN: 2125-AF00) received December 4, 2003, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to

the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure.

5920. A letter from the Assistant Chief Counsel, Federal Highway Administration, Department of Transportation, transmitting the Department's final rule—National Standards for Traffic Control Devices; Manual on Uniform Traffic Control Devices for Street and Highways; Revision [FHWA Docket No. FHWA-2001-11159] (RIN: 2125-AE93) received December 4, 2003, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure.

5921. A letter from the Senior Attorney, Research and Special Programs Administration, Department of Transportation, transmitting the Department's final rule—Hazardous Materials: Revisions to Incident Reporting Requirements and the Hazardous Materials Incident Report Form. [Docket No. RSPA-99-5013 (HM-229)] (RIN: 2137-AD21) received December 4, 2003, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure.

5922. A letter from the Senior Attorney, Research and Special Programs Administration, Department of Transportation, transmitting the Department's final rule—Pipeline Safety: Pipeline Integrity Management in High Consequence Areas (Gas Transmission Pipelines) [Docket No. RSPA-00-7666; Amendment 192-95] (RIN: 2137-AD54) received December 4, 2003, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure.

5923. A letter from the Secretary, Department of Transportation, transmitting a draft bill entitled "To amend title 49, United States Code, to make certain conforming changes to provisions governing the registration of aircraft and the recordation of instruments in order to implement the Convention on International Interests in Mobile Equipment and the Protocol to the Convention on International Interests in Mobile Equipment on Matters Specific to Aircraft Equipment known as the 'Cape Town Treaty'"; to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure.

5924. A letter from the Administrator, General Services Administration, transmitting informational copies of Reports of Building Projects Survey for Ft. Lauderdale, FL, Benton, IL, Greensboro, NC, and Sioux Falls, SD, pursuant to 40 U.S.C. 606(a); to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure.

5925. A letter from the Assistant Administrator for Procurement, National Aeronautics and Space Administration, transmitting the Administration's final rule—Conformance with Federal Acquisition Circulars 2001-15 and 2001-14 (RIN: 2700-AC92) received December 5, 2003, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Science.

5926. A letter from the Assistant Administrator for Procurement, National Aeronautics and Space Administration, transmitting the Administration's final rule—NASA Grant Cooperative Agreement Handbook—Public Acknowledgements. (RIN: 2700-AC75) received December 8, 2003, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Science.

5927. A letter from the National Adjutant, Disabled American Veterans, transmitting 2003 National Convention Proceedings Of The Disabled American Veterans, pursuant to 36 U.S.C. 90i and 44 U.S.C. 1332; (H. Doc. No. 108-143); to the Committee on Veterans' Affairs and ordered to be printed.

5928. A letter from the Director, Regulations Management, Office of Regulation Policy and Management, Department of Veterans Affairs, transmitting the Department's final rule—Board of Veterans' Appeals: Rules of Practice; Use of Supplemental Statement of the Case (RIN: 2900-AL42) received Novem-

ber 13, 2003, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Veterans' Affairs.

5929. A letter from the Chief, Regulations & Procedures Division, TTB, Department of the Treasury, transmitting the Department's final rule—Expansion of the Russian River Valley Viticultural Area (2002R-421P) [T.D. TTB-7; Re Notice No. 965] (RIN: 1513-AA68) received December 4, 2003, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Ways and Means.

5930. A letter from the Acting Chief, Publications and Regulations Br., Internal Revenue Service, transmitting the Service's final rule—Information reporting for distributions with respect to securities issued by foreign corporations [Notice 2003-79] received December 3, 2003, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Ways and Means.

5931. A letter from the Acting Chief, Publications and Regulations Br., Internal Revenue Service, transmitting the Service's final rule—Rulings and determination letters. (Rev. Proc. 2003-86) received November 25, 2003, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Ways and Means.

5932. A letter from the Acting Chief, Publications and Regulations Br., Internal Revenue Service, transmitting the Service's final rule—Examination of returns and claims for refund, credit or abatement; determination of correct tax liability. (Rev. Proc. 2003-82) received November 25, 2003, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Ways and Means.

5933. A letter from the Acting Chief, Publications and Regulations Br., Internal Revenue Service, transmitting the Service's final rule—Qualified Pension, Profit-Sharing, and Stock Bonus Plans (Rev. Rul. 2003-124) received November 25, 2003, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Ways and Means.

5934. A letter from the Acting Chief, Publications and Regulations Br., Internal Revenue Service, transmitting the Service's final rule—Tier 2 Tax Rates for 2004 [Notice 2003-78] received November 25, 2003, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Ways and Means.

5935. A letter from the Acting Chief, Publications and Regulations Br., Internal Revenue Service, transmitting the Service's final rule—Installment Payments [TD 9096] (RIN: 1545-BC53) received December 5, 2003, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Ways and Means.

5936. A letter from the Acting Chief, Publications and Regulations Br., Internal Revenue Service, transmitting the Service's final rule—Weighted Average Interest Rate Update [Notice 2003-80] received December 5, 2003, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Ways and Means.

5937. A letter from the Acting Chief, Publications and Regulations Br., Internal Revenue Service, transmitting the Service's final rule—Tax Avoidance Using Offsetting Foreign Currency Option Contracts [Notice 2003-81] received December 5, 2003, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Ways and Means.

5938. A letter from the SSA Regulations Officer, Social Security Administration, transmitting the Administration's final rule—Governmentwide Debarment and Suspension (Nonprocurement) and Governmentwide Requirements for Drug-Free Workplace (Grants) (RIN: 0960-AE27) received December 2, 2003, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Ways and Means.

5939. A letter from the Regulations Coordinator, Department of Health and Human Services, transmitting the Department's final rule—Medicare Program; Photocopying Reimbursement Methodology [CMS-3055-F] (RIN: 0938-AK68) received December 1, 2003,

pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); jointly to the Committees on Energy and Commerce and Ways and Means.

5940. A letter from the Regulations Coordinator, Department of Health and Human Services, transmitting the Department's final rule—Medicare and Medicaid Programs; Religious Nonmedical Health Care Institutions and Advance Directives [CMS-1909-F] (RIN: 0938-AI93) received December 1, 2003, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); jointly to the Committees on Energy and Commerce and Ways and Means.

5941. A letter from the Regulations Coordinator, Department of Health and Human Services, transmitting the Department's final rule—Medicare Program; Reduction in Medicare Part B Premiums As Additional Benefits Under MedicareChoice Plans [CMS-6016-F] (RIN: 0938-AL49) received December 1, 2003, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); jointly to the Committees on Energy and Commerce and Ways and Means.

5942. A letter from the Regulations Coordinator, Department of Health and Human Services, transmitting the Department's final rule—Medicare Programs; Coverage and Payment of Ambulance Services; Inflation Update for CY 2004 [CMS-1232-FC] (RIN: 0938-AM44) received December 1, 2003, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); jointly to the Committees on Energy and Commerce and Ways and Means.

5943. A letter from the Secretary, Judicial Conference of the United States, transmitting legislative proposals recently adopted by the Conference at its September 2003 meeting, to be incorporated into the draft bill entitled the "Federal Courts Improvement Act of 2003," previously transmitted on May 7, 2003; jointly to the Committees on the Judiciary and Energy and Commerce.

5944. A communication from the President of the United States, transmitting the Annual Report of the Railroad Retirement Board for the fiscal year ending September 30, 2003, pursuant to 45 U.S.C. 231f(b)(6); jointly to the Committees on Transportation and Infrastructure and Ways and Means.

REPORTS OF COMMITTEES ON PUBLIC BILLS AND RESOLUTIONS

Under clause 2 of rule XIII, reports of committees were delivered to the Clerk for printing and reference to the proper calendar, as follows:

Mr. HASTINGS of Washington: Committee on Rules. House Resolution 473. Resolution waiving points of order against the conference report to accompany the bill (H.R. 2673) making appropriations for Agriculture, Rural Development, Food and Drug Administration, and Related Agencies for the fiscal year ending September 30, 2004, and for other purposes (Rept. 108-402). Referred to the House Calendar.

Mr. TOM DAVIS of Virginia: Committee on Government Reform. H.R. 3478. A bill to amend title 44, United States Code, to improve the efficiency of operations by the National Archives and Records Administration (Rept. 108-403). Referred to the Committee of the Whole House on the State of the Union.

PUBLIC BILLS AND RESOLUTIONS

Under clause 2 of rule XII, public bills and resolutions were introduced and severally referred, as follows:

By Mr. ISSA:

H.R. 3651. A bill to account for all aliens unlawfully present in the United States by providing incentives for such aliens to register with the Secretary of Homeland Security, to provide immunity from criminal